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Safety responsibility demand for ...

- **137 operational tunnel with a length of ~ 303 km**
- **Currently being planned / build ~ 153 km**
- **In total ~ 456 km**



Definition

The Safety Officer is a natural person which is not bound to

- The administrative authority (federal minister of transport)
- The Tunnel manager (juristic person = ASFiNAG)



Appointment

- The safety officer is recommended by the tunnel manager to the federal minister of transport on basis of his qualification in:
 - Education
 - Work experience
 - Skills and competence regarding to the duties_
- Also for the first Austrian PrivatPublicProject the contractor had to declare a safety officer with above mentioned qualifications _

[main] Duties

- Coordinating the emergency / rescue services (fire brigade, police, ambulance and the tunnel staff) and support them
- Participation in planning and finishing tunnel
- Make shure that the tunnel staff is trained periodical
- Periodical training with the emergency services
- Technical and operational advice
- Secure the preventive assets maintenance / repair
- Statement to tunnel draft / starting up before the traffic
- Assistance analyzing serious troubles / accidents

Responsibilities

- Continuous improvement
- Documentation, documentation, documentation !



Further questions ...

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